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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed June 28, 2004, with a shortened statutory period set to expire on September 28, 2004. This paper is filed within the set period for response such that no extension of time is necessary.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claims listing beginning at page 2 of this paper.

Arguments/Remarks begin at page 12 of this paper.